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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2002, please reconsider this application in view of the following remarks.